OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL INFORMATION OFFICER TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE. OLD PUBLIC OFFICES, BANGALORE.

Press Note.

WORKING OF THE EMPLOYMENT EXCHANGE IN MYSORE STATE, JULY 1953.

The Employment Exchanges in the State registered 2,343 persons during the month of July 1953, of whom 151 were ex-service personnel, 92 women and 2,100 others. The number of vacancies reported from the Central Government Departments and State Government Departments was 223 and from Private Employers 29, thus bringing the total to 252.

Six hundred and seventy-three persons (211 ex-service personnel and 462 others) were referred to employers against the reported vacancies.

One hundred and fifty-six persons were placed in employment during the month as against 70 in the previous month. Of those placed, 64 were ex-service personnel and 89 others and 3 women applicants.

The Registrations of 160 ex-service personnel and 1,148 civilians lapsed during the month. 685 ex-service personnel and 7,594 civilians were on the Live Register of the Exchange at the end of the month for employment assistance. From the inception of the Organisation up to the end of July 1953, 90,469 persons were registered, 30,602 were submitted against reported vacancies and 6,409 were placed in employment.

(P.N. No. 51—11-8-53).

Press Note.

It is reported that the Handloom Industry in Molakalmuru and Hosadurga taluks has suffered badly owing to a very big slump in handloom products in the market and that the producers, who are poor weavers, are finding it very hard to eke out their livelihood. As a measure of relief, a sum of Rs. 8,000 (Rupees eight thousand only) available with the Deputy Commissioner, Chitaldrug District, as unspent balance out of the allotments under 'Assam Earthquake Relief Fund' is permitted to be utilised by him for providing employment to the weavers of these Taluks on works such as manufacture of cheap sarees and khanas at standard rates, so as to enable them to earn a minimum wage of one rupee per day.

(P.N. No. 52—12-8-53).

Press Note.

The following information dated 29th July 1953 issued by the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi, regarding action taken against certain bogus Crossword Concerns operating in Madurai is reproduced for the information of the public of Mysore State:

BOGUS CROSS-WORD FIRMS IN MADURAI.

The following Bogus Crossword Concerns operating in Madurai in Madras State were prosecuted and convicted:

Madangi Crosswords	...	V. C. Crosswords
Venus Traders	...	Aruna & Co.
Ramacharulu Crosswords	...	A. C. Competition
Minerva Concerns	...	Ganesh & Co.
Nmira & Co.	...	Royal Puzzles
Murthy Concerns	...	Mahalakshmi & Co.
Varma & Co.	...	United Corporation
		Kerala and Amirnath.

Government wish to warn the public against the activities of these bogus Crossword agencies.

(P.N. No. 53—12-8-53).

Press Note.

MOVEMENT OF WHEAT PRODUCTS AND IMPORTED FLOUR.

The Government of India have decided that Flour Mills throughout the Country will be allowed to manufacture "Fines" (Maida, Sooji and Rawa) from imported wheat and sell these products in the open market without any quantitative limits or price restrictions. But no mill shall be allowed to manufacture 'fines' from indigenous wheat. They have also decided that there will be no restriction on the Inter-State movement of imported flour or the locally manufactured flour (including its by-products, *e.g.*, atta and bran) from imported wheat.

All restrictions on the movement of imported flour and wheat products into and from the State of Mysore have been removed by suitably amending the Export Control Order, 1948, and the Import Control Order, 1949.

(P.N. No. 54—12-8-53).

B. N. SRI SATHYAN,
Principal Information Officer.

FOREST DEPARTMENT

BANGALORE FOREST DIVISION.

Resale Notification dated 5th August 1953.

Re:—Resale of tupra leaves of Bangalore District for 1952–55.

It is notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting tupra leaves on all Government unoccupied lands, Amritmahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserved lands and Plantations of Bangalore District from the date of confirmation of the resale to 31st March 1955 will be resold districtwar by the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, in his office at Government Sandal Koti, Bangalore, Malleswaram, Bangalore–3, on *Thursday the 27th August* 1953, at the risk of the original purchaser Sri S. K. Zainulabdin who has failed to pay the one-third instalment of khist amount and also not executed the bond so far in spite of Registered Notices issued to him.

For further details please refer to the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, Bangalore–3.

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Notification dated 6th August 1953.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received at the Office of the District Forest Officer, Bangalore District, Malleswaram Post, Bangalore–3, up to 4 P.M. on Thursday the 27th August 1953 for collecting, rough dressing and carting of dry matured Sandal Wood from Kanakapura Range during the year 1953–54 as detailed below:—

Kanakapura Range ... Approximate quantity to be collected is 75 tons.

Each tender must be accompanied with a deposit of Rs. 25 in currency notes as earnest money without which the tender will be rejected. The other conditions are the same as those appeared in the last year notification which can be ascertained from the undersigned on any day during working hours.

J. P. MASCARENHAS,
District Forest Officer.

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KOLAR FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 1st August 1953.

Re-sale of fuel coupes for 1953-54.

It is hereby notified for general information that the right to cut and remove fuel trees for fuel or cabonising charcoal as the case may be in the undermentioned coupe of the following State Forest of Kolar District for the year 1953-54, *i.e.*, up to 31st March 1954 from the date of confirmation will be sold at the risk of the original purchaser who has failed to adhere to the sale conditions by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Kolar District or by any other officer deputed by him on 26th August 1953 at the District Forest Office, Kolar, subject to the conditions noted below.

The sale commences at 2 P.M. on the date specified and be continued on the succeeding day in case the sale is not concluded on the same day and is subject to the confirmation by the District Forest Officer in case of bids of Rs. 1,000 and below and the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, in other cases.

N.B.—Each bidder shall, before he is permitted to bid, produce a solvency certificate with an earnest deposit of Rs. 50 with the officer conducting the sale before the sale is commenced.

The bidders are expected to see the coupe before they bid in the sale. No extension of time to work out the unworked or partly worked coupe will be granted beyond 31st March 1944, under any circumstances and such coupe along with all materials remaining unremoved will lapse to Government.

The sale conducting officer will be at liberty at the time of sale to reserve the coupe to meet inevitable demands or to put any coupe for sale subject to further conditions as to the disposal of firewood or charcoal of such coupes by the purchasers concerned.

No complaints of any nature will be heard after the sale is concluded.

For further conditions and other particulars such as yield of the coupe etc., please ascertain the same from the District Forest Officer or the Range Forest Officer concerned.

Particulars of fuel coupes exposed for sale for 1953-54

Name of Forest	Name of W-C, or F.S.	Coupe No.	Area in acre
Bagepalli Range.—			
Ittikalduga S.F	Block I, N.W.C.	9—53-54	95 acres

N.B.—Arrear coupes, if any, will be made known at the time of sale.

3177 R. KRISHNA MURTHY, *D.F.O.*

TUMKUR FOREST DIVISION.

Re-sale Notification dated 23rd July 1953.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the exclusive right of collecting Tnangadi and Kakke barks on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrithmahal Kavals, State Forests, reserved lands and plantations of the following Taluk of the District, from the date of confirmation of the resale to 30th June 1954, will be re-sold at the risk of the original purchaser on 27th August 1953 at 2 P.M. at the District Forest Office, Tumkur, by the District Forest Officer, Tumkur District, or any other officer deputed by him. The sale conditions are as usual and will be read out at the time of the sale.

1. Chikkanayakanahally Taluk.

K. A. SAMPATH,
D.F.O.

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MYSORE FOREST DIVISION.

Notification dated 6th August 1953.

Khedda Operations—December 1953.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Mysore Division, Mysore or any other officer authorised by him for the following up to 10 A.M., on Saturday the 29th August 1953.

1. Opening a Hotel at Mastigudi for serving at least two vegetarian meals, one tiffin and two drinks (Coffee or Tea) a day during the ensuing Khedda Operations.	From 15th November 1953 to 15th January 1954 or later, if required.
2. Opening a shop and supplying ragi flour, rice, food grains and connected commodities, etc., for the Khedda labour staff and visitors between 15th November 1953 and 15th January 1954 or later if required. In case ragi is supplied departmentally the tenderer has to quote the rates per palla for curing, flouring and supply at Mastigudi (A list of artilces which must be kept for sale is noted below).	

The minimum rates at which the meals will be served and the tiffin and coffee or other beverage will be supplied has to be quoted separately. The quality of the meals, etc., will be subject to passing by the Health Department.

Similarly, the quality of grains, etc., kept for sale in the provision store will be subject to the approval of the Health Department. Rates at which each article will be supplied to the Department, and sold to the labour should be specifically quoted.

The tenderer should make his own arrangements for putting up the needful sheds required for the shop or the hotel in the place allotted by the District Forest Officer, Mysore.

An earnest money of Rs. 500 (Rupees five hundred) should accompany each tender.

Final acceptance or otherwise of the tenders will vest in the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore whose decision is final.

On communication of orders of acceptance, the successful tenderer should deposit a sum of Rs. 1,000 (Rupees one thousand) as earnest money including the initial deposit and execute a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract on a stamped paper of proper value.

Failure to make proper arrangements will result in the forfeiture in whole or in part of the earnest deposit at the discretion of the District Forest Officer, Mysore.

List of articles :—

1 Greengram, Bengalgram, Avare, Halasande and Horsegram.
2 Tur Dhall
3 Chilly Powder
4 Onion
5 Garlic
6 Tobacco of 20 leaves bundle
7 Betel nut
8 Pan
9 Beedi
10 Match box
11 Tamarind
12 Coconut
13 Plantains
14 Scented stick
15 Jaggery (¼ viss cube or cakes)
16 Salt
17 Chillies
18 Sweet Oil
19 Ghee
20 Earthen pots:—
Big—5 to 6 seers capacity
Small 2 to 3 seers capacity
ಗಡಿಗಳು—Medium size
21 Sugar
22 Soji and other wheat products
23 Kerosene Oil
24 Camphor

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Notification dated 11th August 1953.

Tender for the Supply of Coir Ropes for use during Kheddas, 1953.

Sealed and superscribed tenders are invited from the public for the supply of the following quantities of assorted sizes of coir ropes required for the kheddas of 1953 under the following conditions :—

	Length	No. required (approximate)	Rate to be quoted
1	20' to 24'	... 1,000	In terms of 100 of each length. More or less.
2	32' to 45'	... 4,000	
3	45' to 50'	... 4,000	

2 Each tender should be accompanied by an earnest money deposit of Rs. 100 (Rupees one hundred) in currency notes.

3 The tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Mysore Division, Mysore, by designation and not by the personal address and will be received by the District Forest Officer, Mysore, or by any other officer authorised by him in his absence *up to 3 p.m. on Monday the 7th September* 1953 *at the District Forest Office, Mysore.* The accepting authority for the tenders is the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, Bangalore, whose orders are final and acceptance or otherwise of the tenders are purely at his discretion.

3 The successful tenderer should enter into an agreement duly furnishing a security deposit of Rs. 200 for the due fulfilment of the contract on a bond paper of proper value binding himself to supply the quantity required at the specified time and place fixed by the District Forest Officer, Mysore, on indents placed with him from time to time.

5 The place of delivery is either the Government Wood Yard and Sandal Koti, Mysore, or Range Forest Officer's Office at Kakankote.

6 The tenderer should quote rates both for the delivery at Mysore and at Kakankote.

7 If the contractor fails to supply the required quantity in time and at the place specified, the supply will be got effected by the Department at the existing market rates and the loss sustained by the Department on this account will have to be made good by the tenderer as arrears of Land Revenue besides forfeiture of the security deposit to Government. The tenderer however will have no claim for the profits, if any, earned by the Department on this account.